IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: Rand

Serial No.: 10/551,256 Examiner: M. Wright

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For: Chain Linked Capsules

Assistant Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Further to the Office Action mailed November 12, 2008, please amend and reconsider the instant application in view of the following amendments and remarks. Applicant believes that no extension of time fee is due. Nonetheless, the Office is authorized to charge any such fee, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 07-1392.

AMENDMENT

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 5 of this paper.